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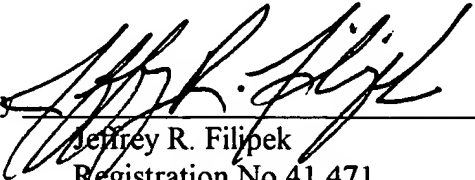
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Sir:

Patentees, by their undersigned agent, hereby offer to surrender original letters patent 5,600,672, granted on February 4, 1997 of which Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. is sole owner by assignment, and on whose behalf and with whose assent the accompanying application is made.

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Sir:

The above-identified application has been submitted without an executed oath or declaration pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.41(c).

It is respectfully requested that this application be assigned a serial number and awarded a filing date pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.53.

A duly executed oath or declaration pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.63 will be submitted after notification by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d).

A non-executed copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney, containing the inventorship information, is attached. It is respectfully requested that all communications be directed to the firm indicated on the attached Declaration and Power of Attorney, namely:

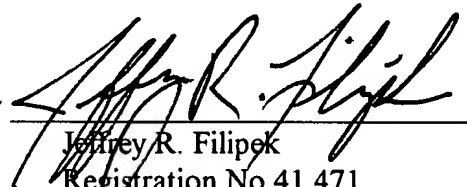
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The required U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Filing Fee is submitted herewith.

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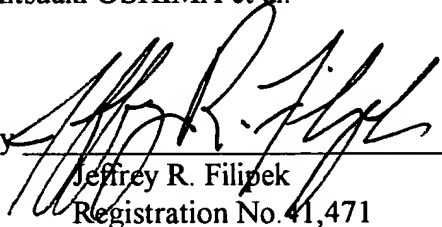
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It hereby is requested that the formal drawings from the original file of the above patent be transferred to the present reissue application.

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